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Mr. Robert Morgan P.E.
Utah State Engineer
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Utah Department of Natural Resources
1636 West North Temple
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WATER RIGHTS

Dear Mr. Morgan:

Attached to this letter you will find a memo from the Wasatch County Water Users by its President Mr. Cal Muir setting forth comments on your proposal for a new Utah Lake Distribution Plan. We want you to carefully consider the concerns expressed within the memo and work with our people as you consider your responsibilities within the Provo River System to all water users.

In short our citizens wish only to remain whole. They wish to proceed with their existing rights intact. If your plan in any way diminishes their current rights then we wish to see how those changes are being administered evenly throughout the system. We do not want our citizens to bear a disproportionate burden.

We have established a repository within the County where we will keep the reports and other evidence you provide our citizens about water rights in which they have an interest. The records in the repository will be protected and be available for public use. We would appreciate, therefore, receiving copies of all correspondence, reports and publications related to the Proposed Utah Lake Distribution Plan or water resources and rights in the Provo, Utah Lake and Jordan River you use to make your decisions. We feel this will generally benefit the public interest because of the basic importance of water rights to the ability to use and sell land in our County and to assure the prosperity and well being of our successors.

Thank you for your cooperation.

Sincerely yours,

Moroni Besendorfer, Chairman

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